

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Currently amended) Satellite television signal receiving station having

a satellite receiver which has an input connection connectable to an external unit of the receiving station to receive television signals derived from the external unit, a modulator, which is provided to convert the television signals into the VHF or UHF range, and a house antenna connection, at which VHF or UHF signals can be tapped,

a television set located separate from the satellite receiver, the television set having at least one video signal output socket,

a house antenna cable, to which the satellite receiver and television set are connected, each of which has a house antenna connection,

a satellite receiver control module connected to the television set or integrated in the television set is provided, which serves to generate control signals for the separate satellite receiver,

wherein the control signals generated in the satellite receiver control module contain a search start signal for initiating a search for image signals on a satellite channel in the satellite receiver,

wherein when said image signals are detected, said image signals are converted for reception on a UHF or VHF channel, and

wherein the satellite receiver control module has a detector that detects engagement or switching of the television set and generates the search start signal when engagement or switching is detected, and wherein a user can select both conventional VHF/UHF channels and satellite reception channels with one channel selection unit on the TV home receiver, or through one remote control, which utilize only channels of the VHF/UHF range.

2. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the video signal output socket is a Euro-AV socket.

3. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the control

signals generated from the satellite receiver control module for the satellite receiver are transmitted via the house antenna cable, ac power mains or a signal connection provided between the television set and the satellite receiver to the satellite receiver and that the satellite receiver is arranged to receive control signals generated by the satellite receiver control module.

4. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the satellite receiver control module is arranged outside of the television housing and that image signals are fed to the satellite receiver control module via a Euro-AV socket of the television set, the image signals corresponding to the image signals displayed on the screen of the television set.

5. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein that the control signals generated in the satellite receiver control module contain a search stop signal for the satellite receiver.

6. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 5, wherein the satellite receiver control module has a detector, which detects the presence of an image signal and generates the search stop signal when the image signal is detected.

7. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 3, wherein the control signals are transmitted in the form of a 22 KHz switching signal.

8. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the satellite receiver has a means to introduce a code signal into the television signals.

9. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 8, wherein the satellite receiver control module has a detector that detects the presence of the code signal in the television signals present

at a Euro-AV socket and generates a search stop signal only when the code signal is detected.

10. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the satellite receiver control module is arranged within a television receiver housing.

11. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 10, wherein the satellite receiver control module is the microcomputer of the television receiver.

12. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1 wherein the satellite receiver has a permanent memory, by which terrestrial receiving channels lying in the VHF or UHF range are assigned to each received satellite television program and that the television set has a transmitter memory that is provided to store frequency data, channel data or division ratios corresponding to the terrestrial receiving channels.

13. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein it has several satellite receivers, several television sets and several satellite receiver control modules.

14. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 13, wherein the control signals generated by the satellite receiver control modules are provided with a code signal for the satellite receiver control modules generating a corresponding control signal.

15. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 1, wherein the television set and the satellite receiver have a common channel selection unit.

16. (Previously presented) Satellite television signal receiving station according to claim 15, wherein the channel selection unit for terrestrial television signal reception and satellite television signal reception occurs through a numerical keyboard of the common channel selection unit

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without requiring a switching process between terrestrial reception and satellite reception.